

A black and white line drawing of a man wearing a cap and a jacket, using a long-handled tool to dig a hole in the ground. The man is shown in profile, looking down at the tool. The tool has a long handle and a circular head. The ground is represented by a simple line.

Bob Campbell
Will talk about
The History of
Token Collecting in Utah

President's

Message



Wagon masters—please get together to find a club dig for May 28th and 29th, Memorial day weekend.

Vice President—please get with members during the year to find prospective officers to nominate for next year.

Folks—keep an eye out for the different types of Wisconsin quarters. Some of them have an extra corn leaf.

I hope everyone's working on some kind of collection. In May, I would like each member to bring in his or her collectables, to show all the different interests in our club. Maybe each person can give a rundown of their stuff, and why they enjoy collecting it.

Rich

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PROTECTION FROM YELLOW FEVER.

IN a report on yellow fever, recently published, it is shown that this disease has never appeared in any climate at the height of 2,500 feet. In the island of Dominica, a hill-top not more than 1,500 feet high is always healthy, even when the fever is epidemic at its base. In San Domingo, similar observations have been made. The highest elevation at which yellow fever has occurred in the United States is 460 feet, in Arkansas; and the medical men of this country now hold that the stratum of air infected by the poison is heavier than pure air, and therefore sinks, and they recommend that in unhealthy districts houses and hospitals should be built on tall piles, so as to be above the fever stratum. But where hills are near, the best remedy will be to carry the patients up to a height of 500 feet.

From the 1875 Science Record
(Before they discovered that Yellow Fever was spread by mosquitoes)

April 28, 2005 NUTS Meeting

At the Redwood Multipurpose Center

Promptness Prize

Those who come to the meeting on time and sign the log book, might win the drawing for a nice coin.

Bob Campbell Will talk about the history of token collecting in Utah, the first collectors, the first clubs, and the beginning of the NUTS club.

Find of the Month Bring your best finds since last meeting,

Bylaws will be voted on at this meeting. Last meeting we voted unanimously to change the bylaws, to a more readable form, and to make some changes to make them closer to the way the NUTS club operates now. A complete copy of the bylaws, which includes the changes suggested at the March meeting, are in this newsletter. The approved bylaws will be attached to our corporate renewal application sent to the state this fall.

Game of Skill Try for your favorite prize, and have fun.

Last Meeting

Ralph Gold did an excellent talk about finding places to hunt, and different kinds of screens. He also brought a collection of some of his favorite finds.
Thank you Ralph

Bob Titus told about a wedding ring lost many years ago.

Mel Milgrom told of a time capsule he was expecting to dig up this month, he also told of a clever way to get the landowner's to help with treasure hunting.

Up Coming Events

April 28

NUTS Meeting

Redwood Multipurpose Center
7:00 p.m.

Bob Campbell will talk about the history of token collecting. We will vote on bylaws

May 26

NUTS Meeting

Redwood Multipurpose Center
7:00 p.m.

May 28 & 29

NUTS Outing

Location to be announced

June 23

NUTS Meeting

Larry Miller Conference Center
9750 South 300 West
7:00 p.m.

June 24 & 25

NUTS Coin and Token Show

Larry Miller Conference Center
9750 South 300 West
10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

July 21

NUTS Meeting

Redwood Multipurpose Center
7:00 p.m.

Aug 25

NUTS Picnic

6:30 p.m.
location to be announced

Find of the Month Winners For March

US COIN

1. 1944D penny----Rich Secor
2. Roosevelt dime----Karen Secor

FOREIGN COIN

1. Melted Chinese Coin ---- Karen Secor

TOKEN

1. Utah Tax Token----Karen Secor
2. Utah Tax Token----Mary Farnsworth
3. Utah Tax Token----Rich Secor

JEWELRY

1. Crown Ring----Karen Secor
2. Purple Marbled Bead----Mary Farnsworth
3. Skeleton Bracelet----Rich Secor

ARTIFACT (3-way tie)

1. Ink Well & Tip----Mary Farnsworth
1. Plastic Hand----Rich Secor
1. Train Key Fob----Terry Bouck
2. Bromo Seltzer Tin----Karen Secor

BUTTON

1. Military, pre Civil War----Terry Bouck
2. Brown Button----Karen Secor
3. Metal Button----Rich Secor

NON-METAL (tie for 2nd)

1. Insulator----Rich Secor
2. AC Sediment Bowl----Karen Secor
2. Mutant Turtle----Mel Milgrom
3. Dropper----Mary Farnsworth

MARBLE

1. Black & White----Rich Secor
2. Green & White----Mary Farnsworth
3. Blue & White----Karen Secor

OLDEST US COIN (none)

OLDEST US CENT

1. 1919----Karen Secor
2. 1923----Rich Secor

MOST VALUABLE U.S. COIN (none)

PEOPLES CHOICE BOTTLE

1. Brown Bottle----Rich Secor
2. Whiskey Bottle----Karen Secor



NUTS Suggested By-laws

Article I -----Membership

1. The President and governing board may set the requirements for membership in this society.
2. An individual membership gives membership privileges to only that one person. Family members and guests of that person may attend meetings, but will not have the privileges of members, such as voting rights, or the right to enter competitions.
3. A family membership gives membership privileges to every family member who resides at that person's address, including adopted children, foster children, and exchange students. Children under 12 will not have voting rights at club meetings.
4. Members are expected to be courteous and honest in their dealings with the society, with other club members, and with their community. After careful examination of the evidence, the governing board may terminate a person's membership for bad behavior. This will require a 2/3 vote of the board.

Article II ---Officers and Governing Board

1. The president will preside at the club meetings, and board meetings. He will appoint committees as necessary, and will approve all expenditures. He will supervise and coordinate the activities of the committees and the officers. He will arrange for speakers or activities for the regular meetings. He will give the editor a monthly message for the newsletter.
2. The vice-president will assume the duties of the president when necessary, and will become president for the remainder of the year if the president's office becomes vacant.
The vice president will also be in charge of officer elections. He will obtain names of possible future officers and nominate them before the election.
3. The treasurer will keep a record of all money received by the society, either cash or check, how much, date received, from whom, and what for. He will deposit this money as directed by the governing board. When authorized by the president or vice-president, the treasurer will make payments of society funds to pay for the society's obligations.

The treasurer will keep an accurate record of all these payments, either by check or cash, how much, date paid, to whom, and for what, together with any receipts. A summary of all transactions and available funds will be given to the governing board each month. All checks are to be signed by at least 2 officers. The treasurer will keep the editor updated about who has paid dues so the newsletter mailing list can be kept current.

4. The editor is responsible for official publications of the society. He is in charge of organization, general content, printing, and mailing, and distribution, as directed by the governing board. He will keep records of all decisions of the governing board, and happenings at the society's events and meetings.
5. The wagon masters are responsible for planning society hunts, and supervising drawings and contests, and purchasing tokens and other items to be used as prizes. Any items bought for these purposes must be bought at or below fair market value, and receipts must be turned in to the treasurer or president at the next meeting.
6. Additional officers may be elected by the membership, or appointed by the governing board. These may include Medals Chairman, and Bourse Chairman and Historian. Their duties will be defined by the governing board.
7. The governing board of this society will consist of the elected and appointed officers. It will be responsible for setting long-range goals for the society, and for setting guidelines for the current officers.
8. If a vacancy in any of the offices occurs, the president may, with the approval of a majority of the governing board, appoint a person from the membership to fill that office. However, if the vacancy occurs in the president's office, the Vice President will become President, and the vice presidency may be filled as described above.
9. If an officer refuses to, or continually fails to fulfill his duties, the governing board may remove him from office. This will require a 2/3 majority of the governing board. The resulting vacancy may be filled as described above.

10. At the time of their installation, all officers shall take an oath of affirmation, which will be prescribed by the governing board.

Article III ---Dues

1. Every member, individual or family, will pay annual dues by May first of each year, otherwise their name will be dropped from the membership list. However they may be reinstated upon payment of the full year's dues.

2. The governing board will set the amount of the dues based on the cost of printing and mailing the newsletter, meeting room rental, and any other outstanding bills of the society. However, any increase in the amount of dues must be approved by a majority vote of the members at a regular meeting. Members must be notified of the proposed increase in advance of the meeting.

3. New members who join the society after June first of any year, will have their first year's dues prorated according to the number of months remaining in that year.

4. No "lifetime," or "honorary" membership will be sold or awarded or recognized. However, any member may choose to pay his dues up to 3 years in advance.

Article IV ---Income and Assets

1. It is the intent of the National Utah Token Society to be a non-profit, voluntary organization. No part of the net earnings of the society will be applied to the benefit of any individual.

2. Coins, tokens, or other merchandise may be awarded to drawing winners, competition winners, speakers, officers, or members, in recognition for things such as time spent, in service to the society, special achievement, or discovering the best buried treasure.

3. Auctions, special programs, or shows may be held to raise funds. It is expected that the dealers, or participants in these events will personally benefit, but any net proceeds for sponsoring each event shall go to this society. Rules governing any such event will be set by the governing board.

4. Upon dissolution of the society, any remaining assets will be distributed to charitable organizations which would qualify under the provisions of section 501C(3) and 170(B)(1) of the internal revenue code.

Article V ---Elections

1. In October of each year the vice-president will personally inquire of individual members to find people willing and qualified to serve as officers. At the November meeting, the vice president will nominate as many as 2 people for each office, and further nominations will be open to members from the floor.

2. Voting will be done by secret ballot, separately for each office, unless there is only one nominee for an office, in which case the vote may be done by acclamation.

3. Installation of new officers will be at the regular December or January meeting. The new officers will begin serving as soon as they are installed.

Article VI ---Meetings

1. Regular meetings of the society will be at a place and time set by the governing board.

2. Special meetings may be called, upon due notice to the members, by the president, or in his absence, by the vice-president.

3. Members are encouraged to invite guests, or visitors, to the society meetings or events, but visitors may not vote in any poll or election, and they might not qualify to enter competitions.

Article VII ---Courtesy

1. When any member is searching an area, and finds something of interest or value, that member has the right to continue the search alone unless he specifies otherwise. Other members should give him at least a 15-foot radius from the original find.

2. Whenever the gender designation "he," "him," or "his" is used, it is expected that this applies equally to the society's female members.

Article VIII ---Amendments

1. These by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members in attendance at any meeting of the society, provided that the proposed amendment has been brought up for discussion at the previous regular meeting, and a notice as to the nature of the proposed amendment has been mailed to each member in the newsletter in time to arrive before the meeting.

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